

I write to request that the FCC do everything it can on behalf of the citizenry to increase diversity of content and information in media (radio and television). Particularly, I think it is imperative that the FCC pursue no more deregulation of ownership rules for radio and television. Since 1996, when the FCC relaxed radio ownership regulations, I have noticed an unfortunate narrowing of content and ideas in my local radio market.

If the FCC continues to pursue regulations that benefit the largest corporate voices in the debate over media and communications control and transmission, then I think democracy in this country will suffer and the FCC will have failed in its mission to regulate the airwaves on behalf of their rightful owners, the citizens of the United States.